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In re application of

Confirmation No. 5278

Yushi HINO et al.

Docket No. 2002-0379A

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COIN SORTING APPARATUS AND COIN RECEIVING SYSTEM

AMENDMENT TO INVENTORSHIP

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Correction of the inventorship in the above-referenced application under 37 CFR 1.48(b) is hereby requested.

The contribution of inventors Kisho YANASE, Yoshikatsu OOTA and Tasuku NAKAMOTO is no longer being claimed in the present non-provisional application. Accordingly, deletion of these inventors from the application is respectfully requested.

The processing fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(i) is enclosed.

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Respectfully submitted,

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